



Thank You Orientation Volunteers!



WATCH THE ORIENTATION DAY VIDEO! <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LCItMCfcjY&feature=youtu.be>

CLUB FAIR

SEPTEMBER 12 & 13
11:00 A.M.-2:00 P.M.
IN TEGLER CENTER

Don't miss this opportunity to get involved with Clubs and Associations on campus. For a list of Clubs & Associations go to page 8.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

What we do for ourselves dies
with us-what we for others
remains and is immortal.

~Alberta Pike

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IMPORTANT DATES:

Sept. 10

- Faculty of Education: EDUC 502 begins

Sept. 11

- Regular university program: Last day to add or drop Fall semester and full-year courses
- Regular university program: Last day to change from audit to credit for Fall semester and full-year courses
- Regular university program: **Census Day**. See *Fee Assessment*, section 5.3
- UCEP: Census Day- Students in the UCEP program should consult Student Accounts regarding withdrawal dates, refunds, and reductions in fees
- UCEP: Last day to add or drop UCEP courses

Attention New Students

It's not too late to join "First Year Learning Communities"
(FLCs, pronounced "Flicks!")

The benefits to you:

- continue your Orientation experience
- ease your transition into University
- meet other new students
- meet returning students and faculty

For more information contact Student Life & Learning 780 479-9241 or, studentlife@concordia.ab.ca





CAN YOU COUNT TO 4? Like to feel rhythm?

Give me a RING!



Concordia Ringers, founded in 2000, is designed for university students at Concordia. 'Ringers' rehearse Tuesday and Thursday afternoons and receive **academic credit** for the year. Performances have included Sacred Music Festivals, Concordia Christmas Concerts, university functions, local venues and collaborations with other music ensembles like *Jubiloso! Bells of Concordia*.

Handbell ensembles at Concordia perform on a 6.5 octave set of Malmark Handbells (F2-C9), a 6 octave set of Malmark choirchimes (C2-C8) and a 5 octave set of Historic Whitechapel bells (C3-C8)

Conductor Debbie Rice is world renown for her work in handbells.

It's not too late to register (MUP164). More information: Deborah.Rice@concordia.ab.ca.

Student Staff for The Writing Centre

Perhaps English is your specialty and you enjoy assisting others with developing their writing skills?

The Writing Centre, through Student Life & Learning, requires a student with a concentration or major in English (minimum 3.4 GPA) to provide learning support to students who access The Writing Centre. Must be a self-motivated, people-oriented person who is able to work collaboratively with staff and faculty.

We require a responsible, reliable student who is available to work **10 hours per week from Sep 5, 2012 through to April 30, 2013**. Hours may vary.

Experience in science writing an asset.

Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

A complete job description is available from the Student Life & Learning Office.

If interested, please pick up an application form to complete and submit along with your resume.

Student Life & Learning

Room HA114

Email: studentlife@concordia.ab.ca

Phone: 780-479-9241

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International Day Featuring Brazil

Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2012

Join us in *Tegler Centre* to celebrate the joy of Brazilian culture. It's the perfect chance to meet other students and make new friends.

This event will include:

- *Information on Partnerships and opportunities for studies abroad*
- *Information about Brazil*
- *Bossa Nova and Samba performance*
- *Capoeira and Jiu-Jitsu performance*
- *Brazilian cuisine*
- *Cinema session with an award winning Brazilian movie*



Program:

- *9 am: Information booths and Brazilian food*
- *10:45 am: Program information on internationalization, introduction of international students*
- *1 pm: Music and dance performances*
- *4 pm: Cinema session in the auditorium*



FINANCIALLY SQUEEZED?

CHECK OUT THE CONCORDIA BURSARY PROGRAM

Apply on-line at:

<https://onlineservices.concordia.ab.ca/student/onlineawardsapplications.php>

DEADLINE TO APPLY: OCTOBER 15TH, 2012

Brought to you by the Environmental Health Students' Association
(EHSA)

CIPHI Sock Challenge

What: The Environmental Health Students' Association is participating in the Annual Provincial CIPHI (Canadian Institute of Public Health Inspectors) Sock Challenge, where we are collecting socks and cash donations.

Why: To donate to agencies in our communities who will distribute the socks to disadvantaged populations.

How can you help!? Find our table at Tegler from 12–1 pm during September 10-21 to drop off new or gently used socks in our SOCK BOX! Or make a cash donation!

\$1 = 2 pairs of socks

Every little bit helps!



Employment Opportunities with Athletics

The Concordia Athletics Department is looking to fill several casual part-time positions for the upcoming **2012-13 ACAC Athletics** season. Students with a passion for and knowledge of Basketball and especially Volleyball are needed to complete our game-day staff 'line up'! All interested students are encouraged to contact Scott Bancarz, Athletics Program Coordinator, at scott.bancarz@concordia.ab.ca or by phone at (780) 479-9300.

SECURITY PROVIDES FIRST AID IN ADDITION TO SECURITY

First Aid

The Commissionaire's provide the Security service for Concordia. They are all trained in **First Aid**. Should you need assistance contact Security on 780 479-8761 or 5555 from an internal phone.

Concordia has two **AED's**, commonly called Defibrillators. One is located on the west wall of the Robert Tegler Student Centre, on the left side of the doors that lead into Alumni Hall. The other is located outside the interior doors into the Ralph King Athletic Centre on the main floor of Continuing Education Centre. AEDs are easy to operate, a link to a useful demonstration is below, this will help familiarize yourself with how to operate our AED's if you haven't been trained.

http://www.heartstarthome.com/animated_demo/demo.asp

Security Tips

- Be Safe
- Although Concordia has a very low crime rate, every year a few students at Concordia are victims of acts of vandalism, theft or assault.
- Never leave your valuables; laptop, packages, purses or wallets unattended. That quick walk to the cafeteria washroom is all the time it takes to lose your valuables.
- Always keep expensive items on your person. Lockers and cars are easily broken into. Better yet, don't bring these articles to campus unless absolutely necessary.
- Always Lock your vehicles and store valuables in the trunk or out of sight.
- Lock bicycles with a good quality lock.
- Become familiar with people who have lockers in your area.
- Keep your locker combinations to yourself and use a good quality lock.
- Walk with a friend or call Campus Security, (780 479-8761) or 5555 from an internal phone, when leaving campus buildings late at night.
- Know your surroundings and keep in mind the potential dangers that you may be walking into.

NOTICE OF SPEAKERS SERIES

This year, the Religious Studies Division and Master of Arts (Biblical and Christian Studies) Committee will be hosting a speaker's series. This series will demonstrate and share the academic work we do and encourage discussion and learning.

During the 2012-13 Fall and Winter terms, speakers will present papers on topics of their research. The series is open to all faculty and students, both in terms of attendance and also presentation. In other words, please consider yourself warmly invited to attend and participate! We want to have a broad audience and good discussions from a variety of perspectives.

If you have a paper or presentation relating to Religious Studies in any aspect, please contact Dr. Steven Muir at steven.muir@concordia.ab.ca

The first presentation will be:

“Paul with a spray can and megaphone: Galatians 3:1 in view of Roman slogans, graffiti and public announcers” -- Dr. Steven Muir
Time and Location: HA 015, Wednesday September 19th from 3:00-4:00 pm

STUDENTS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

JUST A REMINDER-FALL TERM FEES ARE DUE

Fees can be paid at the Student Accounts Office. Fees can also be paid through your bank by setting up Concordia University College of Alberta as a biller and using your ID number as your account number, as well as by credit card through online student services on Concordia's website:



<http://onlineservices.concordia.ab.ca/student/>

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Student Accounts 780-479-9206 or, studentaccts@concordia.ab.ca

Clubs and Associations

- ⇒ The Lion's Club à Meetings: Wednesday @ 3 in upper Tegler
- ⇒ Community/school service club (currently planning Dickens Day)
- ⇒ Model United Nations Club à Model UN Conference March 1-4
- ⇒ Psychology Students' Council (PSC)
- ⇒ Psychology students!
- ⇒ Education After-Degree Students' Association (EADSA)
- ⇒ Education Undergrad Society (EUS)
- ⇒ Environmental Health Students' Association
- ⇒ Science Club à Meetings: Wednesdays @ 10:40 in the science lab
- ⇒ Concordia Aboriginal Students' Association (CASA)
- ⇒ Participate & organized various events with CASA!
- ⇒ Church Vocational Alliance (CVA)
- ⇒ Concordia Business Association (CBA)
- ⇒ The Peripatetics (Philosophy Club)
- ⇒ Hockey Fan Club à Come to Concordia's Hockey games!!
- ⇒ Concordia Visual Culture Society (CVCS)
- ⇒ Pre-Health Society
- ⇒ E S L Club (English as a second language)

If you'd like more information or as you are interested in any of the clubs Concordia offers, please email csavpinternal@student.concordia.ab.ca

Part of why we are in school is to get an education, but getting involved will enrich your experience, while being surrounded by like-minded individuals.

NEED TO KNOW PARKING INFORMATION

PARKING- GENERAL

- Do not park in Emergency Access lanes or in the Bus Stop Zones
- Parking in Handicap Stalls requires *Provincial Handicap Parking Placard* and a Concordia Parking Permit, (Daily or Scramble)
- Please ensure that your permit is CLEARLY DISPLAYED

PARKING- RESERVED

- Ensure that you are parked in your assigned stall
- If someone has parked in YOUR stall; DO NOT park in another reserved stall. Park in the main (Tegler) lot with your permit clearly displayed and contact Security, at (780)479-8761
- Unreserved (Daily and Scramble Permits) DO NOT park in reserved stalls.

SEMINARY PARKING

- The Seminary parking lot is for Seminary use only.
- Concordia University students, staff, and faculty should use designation university parking only.

New Art Exhibit in the Library Gallery!

The exhibition Maskwacis (Bear Hills) presents, through an eclectic mix of art work and cultural artifacts, the vivid community of Maskwacis, or Hobbema, Alberta. In this presentation multiple interpretations sit alongside one another and a conversation is to be had; a conversation which may change the face of how a Nation is understood. The images presented tell a story and each image, each story, is a reflection of a personal and collective psyche.

This exhibition seems to ask the viewer to piece together a series of snapshots in a way that may shift their perceptions of a place and of a people. In this way the visual images help us to transverse the space between the familiar and the unknown.



Remember your Library Passport!

Your Concordia Student ID card is your passport to many services on campus. For instance, in the library you need your ID to check out books and to add printer or photocopy pages. If you are off campus you need your ID to access library resources on the website. Don't forget it!